

THE STAR



GROCERY

HAS

MOVED TWO DOORS EAST INTO LARGER QUARTERS.

And tomorrow, Friday and Saturday, we are going to offer special **BARGAINS** and **PRICES** on the following **GRADES** and **BRANDS** of goods. Every sale backed by a guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded. If you are not among our customers, read this list—you will find out how much money you are losing daily by staying away.

23 POUNDS FINE \$1 GRANULATED SUGAR

CALIFORNIA

CANNED GOODS.

Brands that every one knows to be the best.

Lower prices than have ever been known.

2 cans Santa Rosa yellow peaches...	25
1 can Santa Rosa Lemon cling peaches...	25
2 cans Santa Rosa Apricots...	25
2 cans Santa Rosa grapes...	25
2 cans Santa Rosa pears...	25
2 cans Cuttings Egg plums...	25
2 cans Cuttings Green plums...	25
2 cans Cuttings Gold drop...	25
1 can pie peaches (peeled)...	25
3 cans pie green grapes in syrup...	25
3 cans pie grapes in syrup...	25

EASTERN

CANNED FRUIT.

3 cans 8 pound pie peaches...	25
3 cans Blackberries...	25
3 cans Blueberries...	25
3 cans Raspberries...	25
3 cans Strawberries...	25
3 cans 8 pound Pineapple...	25
8 pound can Apples...	19
6 cans Cherries...	33
6 cans Gooseberries...	33

SUNDRIES.

5 pounds Navy Beans...	25
6 pounds Lima Beans...	25
Sugar Syrup per gall...	25
5 pounds R. oats...	45
6 packages Scotch oats...	45
2 pounds Kennedy's soda crackers...	15
2 pounds Kennedy's oyster crackers...	15
Kennedy's crackers by box per lb...	15
Good Brown...	15
1 gallon can Maple Syrup...	25
1/2 gallon can Maple Syrup...	20
1 qt can Maple Syrup...	20
3 pkgs New England mince meat...	25
Large gall Jelly...	25
4 pounds Apple Butter...	25
4 pounds mince meat...	25
2 cans Anderson Jams...	25
Anderson Jams per dozen...	1
Crushed Java Coffee per pkg...	25
8 pieces Macaroni...	25
Pettijohn's Breakfast food...	25

15 lbs. white lard...	100
No. 1 sugar cured hams, per lb...	100
Dry salt bacon per lb...	80

SOAP.

White Russian soap per box...	345
7 bars White Russian soap...	25
6 bars Fairbanks' brown soap...	25
6 bars Ivory soap...	25
8 large bars soap...	25

J. S. SPROAT

THE STAR GROCER,

112 EAST SIXTH ST.

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GOV. LEWELLING HERE

He Returns from His California Trip Last Evening.

TALES OF THE LEASE AFFIDAVITS.

Says He Never Heard of Them and Would Never Have Referred to Them If He Had.

Governor Lewelling was at his office in the statehouse, earlier than usual this morning. He returned last evening. His month's trip through the west has much improved his health and he looks as if rest from office seekers had done him much good.

The governor spent most of his time, during his absence from the city, in California where he has a number of relatives who say he has all become wealthy in raising California fruit.

Speaking of his trip, he said: "Kansas and California are the best states in the union, and are great compared with a great many other states. Kansas was the best, and California will say their state surpasses all others, yet don't you know that these two states are attempting to solve the great question of transportation, which if properly solved would bring them into prominence quicker than anything else."

"You won't hear a word about the tariff cut there, but the great fruit producers are groaning under the load of too high transportation charges."

"There the same feeling of unrest and political differences exists as in our own state, but I was surprised to see so much interest manifested in the Populist cause and party."

"At Oakland a Populist rally has been started, and the party is fighting on about the same lines as our party is in this state. While they have not been so successful yet the party is of more recent origin there and its principles are only just beginning to be understood."

Governor Lewelling did not desire to say anything about the Lease affair further than that he knew nothing about the affidavits which Mrs. Lease alludes to in her letter to the Pleasanton Herald. "I did not know of the existence of such an affidavit," said the governor, "and it would have made no difference if I had, because I should have never referred to it or used it in any connection."

MAYOR HARRISON RETURNS

He Has Finished His Law Business in the Town Courts.

Mayor Harrison returned last night from Des Moines, Iowa, where he submitted and argued several cases before the state supreme court. He does not know yet whether he won the cause or the court took them under advisement.

The mayor finds everything in Topeka in the same good order that characterized it when he left, and he remarked that between the police commissioners and the county commissioners the city could get along nicely without any mayor and council.

POLICE WORK FOR THE POOR

The Solicitation of Food and Clothing Begun This Morning.

Special Policemen Jones and Foote were put to work this morning soliciting contributions for the poor. They commenced on Van Buren street, one on each side of the street. They will move westward.

The patrol wagon will make its first trip to collect the bundles from the residents next Friday. Chief Lindsey is led to believe by the hearty approbation he has received from many callers at the police headquarters, his plan will be successful, and result in much goods towards relieving destitution in Topeka.

THE GHOST LIES LOW.

Since It Attained Newspaper Notoriety It Is Not So Frightful.

The ghosts are still walking at the home of Bill Hazen, 114 Monroe street, according to the statements of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen, although the mysterious spirits have not been seen by any of the several hundred visitors who have called since yesterday noon.

A North Topeka man who professes to be a spiritualistic medium, visited the home of the Hazens last night and remained until late hour, but he says he did not see or hear any spirits and does not believe the spirits have been there.

Some of the visitors say the house looks like any other home, and that the furniture which is scattered around in the front room looks as if it might have been to set about by an able bodied man or woman.

Mrs. Hazen says she is sure the spirits are still around, although they have not been cutting up quite as many capers since Sunday. She says she won't sleep in the upstairs bed room again, but she is willing that any one who wants to test the ghost story may occupy the room. She will not insure them a good night's sleep.

MARSHAL NEELY IS IN.

Several of the Subordinate Officials Soon to Be Out.

It is United States Marshal Neely now. He was installed today.

Mr. Neely is not here but he will be here tomorrow and look over the affairs of the office and make what appointments are necessary. Deputy Marshal McCullough has been retained, although it will probably be for a short time.

Deputies Ed Walker and Spencer are on commissions have not been issued to them since Mr. Neely filed his oath of office.

The stationery and letter heads for the new marshal are here and a few office seekers who think their services to the party entitle them to an appointment. Representative Ryan is here and would like to receive the appointment for Crawford county and that marshal district.

Examiner Heiskell will go over the accounts of Mr. Walker's deputies tomorrow and when that work is completed those who have not received new commissions will step out and their places filled by Marshal Neely.

Mr. Neely is in St. Louis today.

Regular bi-monthly meeting of E. A. Thursday, February 1st, 4 p.m., at 109 Kansas avenue. M. D. Bidwell, Secy.

Saved a 100 per cent by having your plumbing done at A. Allen's, 805 Kansas avenue. Tel. 388.

Our kitchen being on floor above dining room you get no unpleasant odor from same, at Whittier & Co.

Neck band put on by the Peerless.

BOUGHT HOT WHISKY.

A Sanitary Policeman Gets It and the Sal- tor Arrested.

Tom Depew or "De Pui" was fined \$100 in the police court today for selling liquor. He was represented by S. B. Eisenhart, who gave notice of an appeal to the district court.

The evidence showed that Depew ran a small stand on Kansas avenue south of Eighth street, and Sanitary Officer D. R. Jones, one of the new sanitary force, went there and paid 20 cents for a half pint of whisky which Depew heated on a gasoline stove.

A GANG OF CAR THIEVES.

Operating in the Freight Yards in This City.

The police received word today that robbers had broken the seal on a car in the Union Pacific yards last night and stolen ten large boxes of plug tobacco.

Robberies of this sort have become so frequent in this city as to lead the police to believe that an organized band is responsible for it rather than petty thieves.

Sergeant Henry Steele was set to work on the case. A few nights ago Night Watchman Harry Hunter was shot through the hand by a would-be robber in the Union Pacific yards.

OH, WHAT A NIGHT.

Wm. Kimball Has an Exciting Time With a Cray Man.

HE SETS THE HOUSE ON FIRE.

Finally Taken in Custody by the Police, but is Allowed to Go.

William Kimball, an old colored man better known as "Glick," because he never voted any but a straight Republican ticket except to vote for that Democrat for governor, had an experience with a crazy man last night.

"Glick" lives in a little shanty on the bank of the river, near Skinner's laundry, between Madison and Monroe streets. Last night another old colored man who said his name was Gibson, applied to Kimball for a place to sleep. Kimball found the old man had made a bonfire right on the floor with all my bed clothes. He was sitting on a chair where the smoke was so thick I couldn't see him at first, and saying over and over, "Barn, you burn."

It was hard work for Kimball to save his house, but he managed to do so by carrying water from the pump.

Kimball slept all night on the floor with a mattress over him, and Gibson slept on a chair close to the stove. Kimball kept one eye open, however, for his border. This morning the crazy man deliberately took one of Kimball's shoes and put it in the fire. When Kimball asked him what he did for, he replied: "It ain't yours, it's mine."

"Glick" already alarmed at these and other peculiar actions of his visitor, started to find a policeman. He had no more than left the house, however, when Gibson dashed hurriedly, and putting on only one shoe, started off. Kimball found a policeman.

"He's crazy," he said, "when he gets me frost at the mouth like a mad dog and when he eats the food goes in one corner of his mouth and leaks out of the other."

The police managed to catch Gibson this morning. He is personally a remarkable character. He was born July 4th, 1855, and served four years in the civil war. He has three bullet holes in his body, he says, and was also cut through the leg with a sabre. He shed tears when he told the police how he was shot in the war.

The police did not feel like holding him so they asked the sheriff to take him. The sheriff replied that he would not do so unless there was a warrant out for him. "Ick" was therefore sent to Probate Judge Elliott to swear out a warrant for Gibson on the charge of insanity. Judge Elliott said he was "too busy."

The police turned Gibson loose shortly after.

THE DEAN TO THE DEAN.

Father Hayden Gives Dean Colwell a Gold Headed Cane.

Just previous to the departure of Dean Colwell and family for Colorado Springs today, he was presented with a gold-headed silk umbrella by Dean Hayden of the Church of the Assumption. The head bore the inscription: "Dean Colwell, Jan. 31st, Topeka, Kansas." Mr. Hayden in presenting the umbrella, spoke of the friendly relations that have existed between the two for several years, and that besides himself other priests had contributed toward the purchase of the umbrella.

LOCAL MENTION.

The midwinter examinations of the Parochial schools are being held today. Fathers Hartigan of Blaine, Leary of Chapman and Cortie of Kansas City are conducting them.

The directors of the Bethany academy at Lindsborg, Saline county, have forwarded to the secretary of state the change made in the name of the institution from Bethany academy to "Bethany college."

Rev. Mr. Smith, president of the Associated Charities, finds in his mail on his return from El Reno, a donation of \$50 in groceries from Green & Kale, to be divided equally between the North and South sides. Also from Mr. Fenwick, 118 West Fifth street, a donation of all show repairing the society may wish done.

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